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JOHNSON-JEANETTE BOUT IS RULED OFF BY ORDER OF BOXING COMMISSION

McMahon Boys, Who Had Arranged for the "Go," Agree to Withdraw It.

WAS MENACE TO SPORT.

Rule of the Commission Has Been Made, Barring Johnson in This State.

The Jack Johnson-Joe Jeannette fight, scheduled to be held at the St. Nicholas Athletic Club next month, was declared off late this afternoon by the State Boxing Commission.

Jesse and Eddie McMahon, managers of the club, voluntarily withdrew the match "in the interests of the sport."

The McMahon brothers were summoned before Commissioners O'Neill and Dixon and informed that the board had adopted a rule barring the negro champion from exhibitions in this State.

There was nothing left but to rule the bout out.

Later on Commissioners O'Neill and Dixon said that Johnson is barred from appearing in any match in the State, because no matter what rules might govern the match it would appear to the public generally that a championship fight was being promoted.

"As long ago as last September," said Mr. O'Neill, "when James E. Sullivan was on the commission, we agreed one day in Boston, when the fight between Johnson and White was being promoted, that Johnson could not appear in the State. We believed and I still believe that his appearance would savor too much of championship fighting. The situation in the State, as far as boxing is concerned, has grown steadily better and hundreds of people who never until the present law was passed, saw a boxing match are now regular patrons and want to keep the situation healthy. We have nothing personal against Johnson and he is not barred on account of his color."

When it was first whispered about that Jack Johnson had been offered a match here there was a spontaneous outburst of opposition from many quarters. It was recalled that when the Boxing Commission was first organized with James E. Sullivan as chairman, the latter announced that Johnson would not be permitted to fight here. Johnson had been booted out of nearly every State in the Union, and it was believed that his appearance here would bring odium to the boxing game.

William Gibson, manager of the Garden Athletic Club, made the first offer to Johnson. He went to Chicago and offered the negro champion \$20,000 to meet Joe Jeannette in a ten-round contest at Madison Square Garden. Johnson demanded \$10,000 for his services and Gibson withdrew.

Gibson had barely arrived home when Jesse McMahon, manager of the St. Nicholas Athletic Club, went to Chicago and made an offer to Johnson. He finally agreed to give Johnson \$25,000 for thirty minutes of boxing, and the champion signed for the match.

Commissioners O'Neill and Dixon began to receive protests at once. It was said that Senator Frawley, who had framed the bill, was opposed to the match that he urged the Commissioners to stop it. The McMahon brothers, anticipating action by the board, sought legal advice, and were informed that the Commissioners had no power to stop the bout. On the other hand it was claimed that they could revoke the club's license.

AMERICAN SUICIDE ABROAD.

"Stone Broke," Wrote A. Daniels, Before Killing Self in Antwerp.

ANTWERP, Aug. 22.—An American named A. Daniels committed suicide by shooting himself today at the Grand Hotel Imperial. He left a note saying: "I am stone broke. I have only one dollar left. I am suffering from Bright's disease. Bury me in the Potter's Field." The suicide was about twenty-six years old.

B-R-R-R! SNOWSTORM IN AUGUST AND A FIRE WAS CAUSE OF IT! B-R-R!

Paradoxical as It May Seem, a Match Dropped From Window Started Flakes Falling!

Mrs. Eva Stein lives on the fourth floor of a six-story tenement at Eighth street and Second avenue. Mrs. Stein is a good housekeeper, tidy and the foe of microbes. She believes in air and plenty of it. In the cool of the mornings she throws open all the windows that front on the street. She airs the beds and hangs the bedclothes on the fire escape. An awning keeps the hot sun from the bedding while the summer zephyrs get in their work on the microbes.

This morning Mrs. Stein hung her feather quilts and pillows and mattresses on the fire escape as usual. Some careless man on the floor above dropped a lighted cigarette or a match out of his window on to the awning. Miss Bertha Stein, Mrs. Stein's sixteen-year-old sister-in-law, came home from work at noon for lunch. She smelled smoke. Into the room came a cloud of smoke. Miss Bertha, being a young woman of action, gave the alarm. Her sister-in-law ran down stairs with her children and the younger woman got busy with the assistance of some neighbors and a few buckets of water. They soaked the blazing awning and the smoldering bedclothes.

Embers from the fire dropped down to the floor below and Mrs. Julia Newfeldt saw her curtains ablaze. She, also a woman of action, tore down the curtains, threw them out, but burned her hands. The engines came clanging down the avenue, the firemen mounted the fire escape and beat the life out of the fire and of the bedclothes.

The quilts and pillows and mattresses were "baked" wide open and the feathers floated down like a snowstorm. It was so real that two men, who had heard nothing of the fire, emerged from the saloon, stared and shivered.

"For the love of Mike!" gasped one. "Snow in August! Can you beat it?" And the two men wrapped themselves up in their coats and hurried away, with the thermometer 8 in the shade. A thunderstorm from the bright, ethereal blue wasn't in it with that fall of snow in August.

CLARK GRIFFITH AND TEAM WILL ATTEND FUNERAL.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Arrangements were completed today for the funeral Saturday afternoon of Thomas C. Noyes, President of the Washington American League Baseball Club and news manager of the Washington Star, who died of pneumonia yesterday. The game between Washington and Detroit scheduled for Saturday will be played Friday in a double header. Members of the Washington team in a body, headed by Manager Clark Griffith, will attend the funeral.

BOSTONS VS. CHICAGO FOR PRINTERS BASEBALL TITLE.

BOSTON, Aug. 22.—By defeating St. Louis 7 to 4 here today Boston was given the opportunity to participate tomorrow in the final games of the fifth annual championship tournament of the Union Printers' National Baseball League. Earlier in the day Chicago, the present champions of the league, easily defeated Washington by a score of 15 to 2. A feature of the St. Louis-Boston game was a three-base hit by Walder of the visiting team which drove in three runs.

TICKET OFFICE
For all Congressmen, Senators, American and British, Canadian, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Russian, Spanish, and other nationalities, tickets for the game between Boston and St. Louis, Aug. 23, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at the ticket office, 100 Broadway, New York, N. Y. Telephone 6000.

THREE PENNIES ALL THAT'S LEFT OF \$80,000 THEFT

John A. Flack, Bank Looter, Caught Here, Going Back to Abilene, Kan.

GLAD IT IS ALL OVER.

Anxious to Return to Town Where He Was Honored as Judge and Reformer.

Back in Abilene, Kan., they want John A. Flack to explain a bank shortage of something like \$80,000. Though his cash capital consists of three Lincoln pennies, he quickly and thankfully waived extradition to-day in the First District Court.

Two years ago Flack was cashier of the Abilene State Bank. He had a record as Probate Judge, reform politician and business man that was unblemished, and he had, too, a wife whose head was followed by Abilene society. He wore a frock coat then, and a silk hat most of the time, but when he was arraigned before Magistrate Freschi a bedraggled suit of hand-me-downs fell away from a wrinkled collar that once had been white.

In September, 1910, Flack came East with his wife. He said he thought they needed a rest—he was sure he did, for he had been greatly worried over certain investments.

GET NEWS THAT SECRET OF THEFTS IS OUT.

Mr. and Mrs. Flack had hardly settled themselves down at a seaside resort when a brief despatch which appeared in the local newspaper drove all thought of further comfort from their minds. They read that L. B. Hallam, President of the Abilene State Bank, had died suddenly, his heart broken by the simultaneous disappearance of a man whom he had trusted and a large sum of the bank's money. The name of this man, the despatch continued, was John A. Flack.

Then Flack broke down. He told his wife he had invested some of the bank's funds in real estate and stocks and had made loans for the benefit of friends upon whom he relied, without getting adequate security. Before he left Abilene, he said, he had turned over his property, valued at upward of \$30,000, in such a way that it could be transferred to the bank without formalities to cover any possible discrepancy in his accounts. Just how he stood he did not know. It was that he had been trying to puzzle out.

Other bank officials, not so confident as Hallam, had ordered an examination of Flack's books when he left Abilene, and so had been lost his last opportunity to square matters voluntarily.

PLANS UPSET BY DEATH OF HALLAM.

The death of Hallam upset Flack and his plans. He did not dare to go back to Abilene himself, so he sent his wife. She stayed there for some time, then announced that she would follow her husband through his ill-fortune as she had during the days of his prosperity.

That was the last Abilene saw of either member of the former prominent family. New York swallowed them up, and for two years showed them a side of life they never had seen. Manhattan banks did not want cashiers without references accounting satisfactorily for their past. They did not even want ten-dollar-a-week clerks who could not show a clear record.

Flack finally got work as waiter, porter and errand man. He turned his

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BULL MOOSERS AND HEARST MEN FUSE.

Brooklyn Forms a Combine of the Two Turbulent Political Parties.

It was announced at the Bull Moose headquarters in Brooklyn today that a practical working agreement had been reached between the Independent League and the Progressive party for fusion in that borough. Edward T. O'Loughlin, county chairman of the Independent League, and Timothy L. Woodruff, chief B. M. of Kings County, have been getting together for a week past.

It was stated this afternoon that the B. M. L. fusion ticket is assured.

LAWYER ADVISES GAYNOR WHAT TO DO WITH POLICE

Establish Precincts on Blackwell's Island and Send Captains There, Writes Leary.

FIXED POSTS FOR MEN.

"To These," He Says, "Should Be Sent Members of Central Office Squad."

John Leary, a lawyer, with an office at No. 149 Broadway, wrote to-day from his home, the Hotel St. Andrew, the following letter to Mayor Gaynor, which was given out late this afternoon at the City Hall:

"I suggest, respectfully, that you take Blackwell's Island and erect upon it a dozen or more police precincts and five hundred or more fixed posts.

"That you assign to the precincts every captain who has been in charge, within the past two years, of any of the precincts south of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and north of the Battery, and to the fixed posts you send the entire Central Office force and keep them there for the balance of your term of office, with but twelve hours' leave of absence between sunrise and sunset, once a month.

"With this crowd removed you may perhaps get a 'look in,' should you still need it, at the true condition of things, or, should your view be still impeded, you can erect more fixed posts and remove more of the crowd.

"This should be done even if there was no graver reason than to sink it into some heads that they are not nearly as important to the city as the city is to them.

"Let all lights on the island go out every night at 'Taps' with true military precision and perhaps a few months over there, holding down a fixed post in the darkness, will restore that sense of vision which they displayed when under examination for appointment, but which so many seem to have lost under the glare of the 'Great White Way' on the dazzling flash of a 'Yellow Back.'

"I make this suggestion because of the statement to-day of a brother lawyer that the courts have held that you must have absolute proof of actual misconduct on the part of a policeman before you can convict him of malfeasance in office—a decision which, in existence you know to be, as the Westerners say, with the Dutchman—'No smoke, just tam nonsense,' such a decision is now law, but nonsense."

RUNAWAY HORSE MENACES MANY ON SECOND AVENUE.

Animal Dashes Through Crowds of Women and Children, Running Down Girl.

Morris Kahn, a driver for Adler & Eckstein, bakers, of No. 573 East forty-fifth street, was delivering an order of bread at Fifty-first street and Second avenue to-day when his horse became frightened and ran up Second avenue. At Fifty-fifth street a man grabbed at the bridle and the horse swerved to the east side of the avenue. He left the wagon behind to keep an "L" pillar company and continued with the shafts as he only brayed.

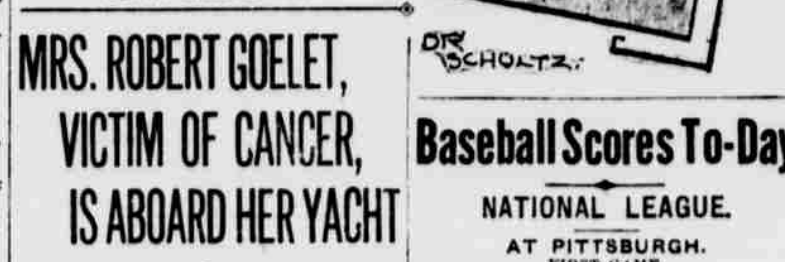
A dozen men tried to stop the horse and failed. Women and children cleared the sidewalk and gave the horse right of way a block in advance. Caroline Josephs, twelve years old, of No. 227 East Sixty-third street, was not quick enough. She fell beneath the hoofs at Fifty-ninth street. Two blocks further on Theodore Saxe, an agent for J. P. C. A., jumped at the horse, gripped mane and bridle and brought the animal to a halt after being dragged fifty feet. The injured girl was taken to Flower Hospital. She was suffering only from bruises and shock.

POLICE HUNT ASSAILANT OF RICH LUMBER MAN

SEAFORD, Del., Aug. 22.—The police to-day were searching the negro quarter for the assailant of John J. Perry, a wealthy lumberman who was found in his auto in that section with a bullet wound in his neck and his skull crushed.

BECKER'S RIGHT HAND MEN TO BE TRIED FOR PERJURY

Principal Figures in To-Day's Murder and Graft Disclosures



MRS. ROBERT GOELET, VICTIM OF CANCER, IS ABOARD HER YACHT

Her Condition Critical, Attending Doctors Report—Son Racing to Mother.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—Mrs. Robert Goelet of New York is critically ill aboard her yacht, the Nahma, in Southampton Water. Several doctors are in attendance.

Her ailment has been diagnosed as cancer.

Robert Walton Goelet, her son, who was called of her illness, is on his way from New York and is expected soon.

SENATORS CALL ARCHBOLD TO TESTIFY TO-MORROW.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Chairman Clapp of the Senate Committee investigating contributions to Presidential campaigns, announced this afternoon that John D. Archbold of the Standard Oil Company would appear before his committee to-morrow to testify regarding the Standard Oil contribution to the Roosevelt campaign fund.

White and Steinert, Witnesses for Defense, Suspended After Indictment—Raider Delays Plea, Gangsters Answer "Not Guilty."

GOFF'S PROBE TO COVER ALL OF GAYNOR'S REGIME

John Doe Proceedings Will Search Administrations of Cropsey and Baker as Well as Waldo.

These were the four important developments in a busy day in the Rosenthal murder case and its allied police graft scandal:

The Grand Jury returned indictments against Detectives Charles Steinert and James White, former members of Lieut. Becker's raiding squad, charging them with perjury in falsely accusing Jack Zelig, the gang leader, of carrying a loaded revolver when he was arrested by them on May 12, in a Second avenue cafe. As soon as the indictments were handed in to Judge Mulqueen, Commissioner Waldo was ordered to produce the two policemen forthwith. Steinert and White are material witnesses for the defense of Lieut. Becker on the charge of murder in the Rosenthal case.

A Coroner's Jury, as a matter of legal formality, found that Herman Rosenthal came to his death from the effect of bullet wounds inflicted at the hands of persons unknown to the jury.

Lieut. Charles Becker, Jacob Reich, alias "Jack" Sullivan; Frank Miller, alias "Whitey" Lewis; Frank Cirofici, alias "Dago Frank"; and William Shapiro were arraigned before Judge Mulqueen in the Court of General Sessions to answer to a blanket indictment charging them with murder in the first degree. Becker was given until next Tuesday to plead and the others pleaded not guilty and were given until Tuesday to file motions.

The John Doe proceeding before Justice Goff, beginning on Sept. 3, is not only to investigate the current scandal, but will push a long and insistent probe into the Police Department. The investigation is going back to administrations preceding that of Commissioner Waldo—particularly into those of former Commissioners Cropsey and Baker. This was announced by the District Attorney.

Of the four leading happenings of the day the announcement that the Police Department investigation is going back to the beginning of Mayor Gaynor's administration attracted the most interest. It is expected that former Deputy Commissioner Flynn, who has been borrowed from the Secret Service to assist in the Aldermanic investigation, will play a prominent part in delving back into the Police Department.

INQUIRY TO GO BACK INTO BAKER'S REGIME.

The inquiry, under the direction of Assistant District Attorney De For, is to take in the administrations of Commissioner Waldo, Cropsey and Baker in all their aspects. It is to be thorough and searching, with special application to the police officers who held positions of importance under the various Commissioners and also the civilian employees.

As for the finding of the Coroner's jury and the finding of the prisoners of the Rosenthal case, those were routine developments of the progress of the case. The indictment of Steinert and White put a new angle in the situation.

It is expected that other policemen who have turned in reports of arrests made while they were members of Becker's squad are to be considered by the Grand Jury. There is a report current that the District Attorney contemplates the indictment, if such a proceeding be possible, of most of the police witnesses who figure to be called to testify in Becker's defense at his trial.

The Grand Jury took up the Zelig investigation at noon. Zelig was the first witness. He wore the clothes he had on when he was arrested—a two-piece dinner suit of light blue material.

After Zelig had been questioned for five minutes he left the Grand Jury room and he was without his coat. Property Clerk O'Connor of Police Headquarters was then summoned by the Grand Jury, and he produced the revolver which Steinert and White swore they found in Zelig's possession.

INDICTED RAIDERS SUSPENDED ON NOTIFICATION.

Tests were made with the revolver and the coat to ascertain how much of a bulge the revolver would make in any pocket. The coat was also examined

Baseball Scores To-Day

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
AT PITTSBURGH.	
FIRST GAME.	
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PITTSBURGH	0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0-3
SECOND GAME.	
GIANTS	0 2 0
PITTSBURGH	1 0 0
AT ST. LOUIS.	
BROOKLYN.	
0 3	3
AT ST. LOUIS.	
AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
AT NEW YORK.	
CHICAGO	0 0 0 0
HIGHLANDERS	1 0 0 0
AT PHILADELPHIA.	
FIRST GAME.	
ST. LOUIS	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0-1
PHILADELPHIA	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-2
AT BOSTON.	
CLEVELAND.	
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